

To Our Volunteers – Thanks

You're the Best.

The date on this issue says "January - March," but we actually write and design it in late November – a time usually associated with "giving thanks." So we'd like to continue that theme of giving thanks by showcasing our many super volunteers – those terrific community and culturally minded folks who help the Cultural Arts Office in so many ways. We can't thank them enough, of course. But we hope they know we truly appreciate their help on our programs and their commitment to the community.

So in no particular order... we'd like to name names. Our thanks to ALL these volunteers (and friends) who are so generous with their time and energy.

Three-Part-Art Gallery Education Program

Volunteers are essential to the award-winning Three-Part-Art program. Duties can include helping to cover tables with butcher paper, setting out art supplies, putting art terms on display, assisting and supporting staff, and most importantly encouraging and giving guidance to elementary school children with their artistic creations.

These volunteers have a true passion for the arts and for arts education, and without these individuals, it would be very challenging escorting over 5,000 children through the program each school year.

Gesa Cowell
Carolyn Godwin
Jackie Hwang
Jan Krouskup
Vicki Lane
Margaret Anne Lozuk
Sandi Meyer
Jeri Villinski
Terri Zimdars

Summer Camp Volunteers

At our Summer Arts Camp programs, volunteers help with the important task of making each child feel comfortable and confident while they are at camp. At Creative Arts Camp, volunteers help with class rotations, bathroom and snack breaks, all aspects of the art-making experience, and with the exciting "final performance" that ends the camp session. At Club Pelican, which offers children a combination of visual arts, nature, and science, volunteers assist with the nature walks, science discussions, and arts lessons during each camp.

Tori Ades
Taylor Gaines
Ariel Hsieh
Cindy Hsu
Crystal Hsu
Karolyn Krebs
Kirra Krygsman
Nicole Leonard
Alex Lutz
Kirsten Moore
Evan Refold
Claire Shalinsky
Katie Simpson
Sarah Thomas
Thomas Troshyski
Shea Walker



Volunteers

Family Open Studios and Art At Jazz

At the William D. Cannon Art Gallery, we present some of the finest exhibitions in the region. But besides presenting art, we also get our community involved in making art. And there's no better setting for hands-on art-making experiences than our Family Open Studios and Art at Jazz programs. Talented and vibrant volunteers greet and encourage every young (and not-so-young) artist on new engaging art projects. In 2008, that meant over 2,500 participants at 10 different events! Best of all, it's free. Join us sometime (see page 7 for details) – and don't forget to say hello to our terrific volunteers.

Gesa Cowell
Taylor Gaines
Carolyn Godwin
Crystal Hsu
Jackie Hwang
Jan Krouskup
Vicki Lane
Sandi Meyer
Anne Peterson
Pamela Peterson
Chad Sorlie
Joanna Tang
Rosanna Tang
Jeri Villinski
Terri Zimdars

Performing Arts Program Volunteers

These adventurous volunteers love music, community events and trying new things. They help out with box office and ushering, setting up receptions, and being the welcoming "first face" our audiences often meet on their way to an event. And once their work is done... they become enthusiastic audience members as well.

Carlsbad Music Festival

Mary Ann Beckerman
Jane Bentley
Meg Brekke
Judy Chou
Gordon Cress
Michael Gmerek
Tim Griffin
Devora Lockton
Julia Orozco
Chez Sievers
Leslie Williams

Carlsbad-to-Karlovy Vary Vocal Competition

David Amos
Yuki Ando
Elliot Palay

Sister City

Al & Jane Roller

Mailing Crew

Where would we be without this group of dedicated volunteers? Well, for one thing, your quarterly *Arts News* would not arrive in your mailbox! And for another, the staff would not hear about the best (and worst) movies and plays in the region... because this is a very verbal and opinionated bunch – who are great fun to hang out with. All this, plus 3,500 newsletters get prepared for the mail!

Dottie Allen
Helen Bender
Mig Chaney
Valerie Cumming
Pat Hale
Jack Henderson
Roma Murdaugh
Marie Pike
Lisa Stavenga
Mu Sycks



(Right) Our Super Mailing Crew: (l to r) Dottie Allen's daughter, Dottie Allen, Roma Murdaugh, an unidentified volunteer, Valerie Cumming, and Jack Henderson.



(Left) TGIF volunteers Alan Rock and Sandy Guendert (TGIF chair) in back; Darlene Mangen (TGIF co-chair) and Eva Marshall in front.

(Right) Senior Volunteer Police officers Don Lawrence and Arian Guerrero. Actually, they volunteer for the Police Department, but they've helped us out at TGIF for so many years now, we claim them as our own.

Volunteers

Gallery Volunteers

At the William D. Cannon Art Gallery, volunteers can be seen preparing for opening receptions, answering phone calls, preparing bulk mailings, and often giving visitors background information about the artworks on display. Most important of all, volunteers provide Gallery staff with additional support. And it shows: in Gallery surveys, visitors always mention the high level of satisfaction they have (over 95%!) with the welcoming and professional atmosphere they experience in the Gallery.

Marvin & Francine Agron
Mary Annavedder
Lorraine Auerback
Ray Aulet
Rosie Berkowitz
Jane Boler-Soher
Helen Clark
Louise Copeland
Rita Francis
Sharon Ghai
Amy Griffin
Arline Halfon
Barbara Iserloth
Ofelia Jimenez
Steve Justice
Bunny Kacher
Connie Keashaw
Kay Meckes
Fran Miller
Martha Nelson
Kirti Patel
Edith Say
Holly Steere
Jacquie Thye
Maureen Tracy



TGIF Volunteers

Technically speaking, the TGIF volunteers actually “volunteer” for the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts. But when it’s all tallied up – and that’s the right word – this group helps raise a significant amount of money through the TGIF Opportunity Drawings to help support the jazz concerts and other Arts Office programs. Whether it’s gathering prizes for the drawing, or selling tickets to the crowd, or working the Friends table at the concert, this group literally defines the spirit of volunteering.

Sebastian Arterbury
Beth Barrett-Wieland
Diane Brewer
Jean Burrington
Carol Calvert
Michael Craft
Sherman DeForest
Sue Duerst
Kurt Filipovitch
Teddie Filipovitch
Pam Frieze
Bob Hale
Tom Hersant
Monica Jellinek
Cheryl Jordheim
Linda Joyce
Bill Laird
Hap L’Heureux
Darlene Mangan
Eva Marshall
Kevin Mudd
Alan Marblestone
Naomi Marblestone
Lela Nickelson
Terry Peniston
Kay Rivers
Preston Rivers
Alan Rock
Gene Seeby
Mary Shaw
Carolyn Taylor

(Left) TGIF volunteer Naomi Marblestone and CFA Board member Jean Burrington.

(Right) Art at Jazz volunteers and staff: back row: Nancy Moothart, Anne Peterson, and Leon Martin. Front row: Joanna Tang, Rosanna Tang, and Crystal Hsu.

Carlsbad Friends of the Arts

And last but certainly not least, there is the Board of Directors of the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts. Soon after the Arts Office was established in 1986, then Arts Manager Connie Beardsley knew a support group needed to be formed as well. And it’s been going strong ever since! First known as the Carlsbad Arts Associates and now the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts, this group is an independent 501-c-3 non-profit organization, whose mission is to support the programs and activities of the Cultural Arts Office. To this group of volunteers (whom we also consider good friends), we can’t express our thanks enough!

As of Nov 2008:

Beth Barrett-Wieland
Jean Burrington
Mike Craft
Dottie Demmers
Kurt Filipovitch
Robin Friedheim
Pam Frieze
Carolyn Grant
Bob Hale
Sandy Guendert
Tom Hersant
Linda Joyce
Monica Jellinek
Darlene Mangan
Alan Marblestone
Kevin Mudd
Mary Shaw



Exhibitions

The 2009 Cannon Juried Biennial

THROUGH FEBRUARY 7, 2009

Over the past nine years, the Cannon Art Gallery Juried Biennials have become an important showcase for the work of both emerging and mid-career artists in San Diego. Open to artists who live, work or have a studio in San Diego County, the final exhibition is always a lively and engaging mix of media and styles. This year is no exception. After viewing more than 1200 images, jurors Stephen Hepworth, Curator of the University Art Gallery at UCSD, and Sue Greenwood, Gallery Director of Greenwood Fine Art in Laguna Beach, selected 26 artists and 46 works of art. Five of the artists selected currently live in Carlsbad.

Following is a list of artists, city, and type of media

Adam Belt (Carlsbad) watercolor
(radio telescopes)

Joseph Bennett (San Diego) assemblage
Gesa Cowell (Carlsbad) photography
(interiors)

Maria De Castro (Fallbrook) ceramic
(bird head figures)

Ariel Diaz (Carlsbad) mixed-media
painting

Al Feldman (Escondido) painting
(landscape)

David Fobes (San Diego) color duct tape
"paintings"

Will Gibson (Escondido) photography
Shawn Goodell (San Diego) cut paper
sculpture

Gerritt Greve (Cardiff) painting (faces)

Paul Henry (Carlsbad) furniture

Thomas Johnson (Vista) lithography

Jane Lazerow (La Jolla) mixed-media
painting (narrative)

Guy Lombardo (Lemon Grove) painting
May-ling Martinez (San Diego)
installation

Kathy Miller (San Diego) mixed-media
Michelle Montjoy (Vista) mixed-media

James Soe Nyun (San Diego)
photography (Yellowstone Burnscapes)

Judy Pike (San Diego) figurative painting

Lee Puffer (La Mesa) ceramic,
mixed-media

Sara Rosenbluth (La Jolla) drawing

Kelly Schnorr (San Diego) ceramic,
mixed-media

Tara Smith (Carlsbad) painting (abstract)

Elizabeth Washburn (San Diego)
oil/encaustic painting

Jonathan Wiltshire (Escondido) painting

Duke Windsor (San Diego) painting
(urban scenes)

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From the top, proceeding clockwise: Will Gibson, *The Ore Loader*; Duke Windsor, *Sidewalk Sale*; Gerritt Greve, *Ana Gabriela*; Gesa Cowell, *My Mother's Slippers*; and Maria De Castro, *A Gathering of Muses*.

Cardinal Points / Puntos Cardinales

MARCH 1 – MAY 8 IN THE CANNON ART GALLERY

Cardinal Points / Puntos Cardinales: A Survey of Contemporary Latino and Latin American Art from the Sprint Nextel Collection highlights works of art by Latin American and Latino artists in the United States, Mexico, the Caribbean, Central and South America. The exhibition features 55 two-dimensional works, including photographs, prints, paintings, and mixed media pieces. The title "Cardinal Points" refers to the four principal points of the compass. Throughout history, cultures have assigned different values, symbolic meanings, and imagery to each direction. This exhibition employs the concept of cardinal points to survey some of the key ways that contemporary Latino and Latin American artists have used to "map"

or examine their personal and cultural identities, histories, values and the world around them. The vibrant artwork and bilingual English/Spanish exhibition text introduces some of the most dominant themes and creative approaches in Latino art produced during the last two decades. Among the most well-known artists in the exhibition are José Bedia, Enrique Chagoya, Carmen Lomas Garza, Solomón Huerta, Graciela Iturbide, Freddy Rodríguez, Andres Serrano and Patssi Valdez. *Cardinal Points/Cardinales* was curated by Elizabeth Ferrer, consultant for Latin American Art, Sprint Nextel Collection and is being toured by Exhibits USA.

Ongoing in the Sculpture Garden *Here I Come, Ready or Not* Installation by Carlsbad sculptor Fritzie Urquhart

Building materials have always intrigued Urquhart. Instead of using these materials to fix up her house though, she has created a set of new works that turn the City's Sculpture Garden into a delightfully playful environment. Don't miss this exhibition located behind the Cultural Arts Office at 2955 Elmwood (a few steps north of the Cole Library). Open weekdays through next summer, 9am to 2pm; after 2pm, come to the front desk of the Arts Office to gain entrance. Closed on holidays.



From top left, clockwise:
Laura Barbato Anderson,
Traces of Infinity III; Enrique
Chagoya, *Hand of Power*;
Laura Cohen, *Tengo el Universo
en Las Manos*.



Programs

Opera Previews Return for Ninth Season

Three women die for love, two madmen die of delusions... and all of them die amidst swirling music and pageantry. It can only mean one thing – Dr. Ron Shaheen is back with Opera Previews, the in-depth look at the San Diego Opera season. And this year's line-up of grand classics is stellar: *Tosca*, *Gilda* and *Cio Cio-san* come to their heart-rending ends only after giving their all in the tradition of great sopranos. *Don Quixote* and *Peter Grimes* are polar opposites, an other-worldly idealist and a brutal social outcast, who struggle against Fate with basso profundo power and clarion tenor terror.

Each month an entranced audience follows our pithy, passionate guide (that's Dr. Shaheen) through the cultural underpinnings, composition, musical style and story line of the upcoming SDO production. With outstanding visual projec-

tions and musical selections culled from legendary productions featuring immortal operatic stars, Shaheen gives opera goers an exceptional introduction and opera lovers the feeling they're already seated in the mezzanine.

Due to the popularity of Opera Previews, entrance tickets are distributed starting at 9:15am; doors open at 9:40am.

Opera Previews

Saturdays 10am • Free

Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium
Carlsbad City Library complex
1775 Dove Lane

January 24: *Tosca* by Giacomo Puccini

February 14: *Don Quixote*

Jules Massenet

March 28: *Rigoletto* by Giuseppe Verdi

April 18: *Peter Grimes*

Benjamin Britten

May 9: *Madama Butterfly*

Giacomo Puccini

Opera Caravans

Travel in style and comfort on our convenient coach service to San Diego Opera productions. Whether you're a subscriber or a single ticket buyer, you can join our friendly group of music lovers for trouble-free travel from Carlsbad City Library (at Dove Lane) to the downtown San Diego Civic Center Auditorium – for only \$20 per person (not including your opera ticket). That's about equal to the cost of gasoline and parking fees, without the hassle of a round-trip freeway drive. Sunday departures are 12 noon, Wednesdays are 5 pm; all Caravans arrive in time for pre-show Opera Talk with Dr. Nick Reveles. For information and bus and/or opera tickets, contact SDO rep Tyler Houston at 619/232-7636.

All Aboard!

Sundays 12pm departure

Wednesdays 5pm departure

Tosca Sun, February 1; Wed, February 4

Don Quixote Sun, February 22

Rigoletto Sun, April 5; Wed, April 8

Peter Grimes Sun, April 26

Madama Butterfly

Sun, May 17; Wed, May 20

The Opera Caravan is a collaboration between the San Diego Opera and the Cultural Arts Office/City of Carlsbad.



Madama Butterfly



Rigoletto



Peter Grimes

Mark Your Calendars Now!

Or set your Trios or your Blackberries to remind you for...Family Open Studios, the great hands-on artmaking event designed for all ages! It's great fun, it's educational – and it's FREE!

Here's how it works. First, you'll tour the exhibition on display at the William D. Cannon Art Gallery. That's just a warm-up to get you inspired. Then, you'll work with our terrific artist/educators and volunteers on a specifically-designed art project related to the exhibition. Finally, you get to take the completed work of art (maybe a masterpiece!) home to enjoy.

We provide all the materials and the workspace, you provide the creativity. Family Open Studios take place in the Courtyard of the Carlsbad City Library complex (1775 Dove Lane in Carlsbad), from 11 am – 2 pm. No reservations required and you can stay as long as you'd like.

Saturday, February 7
Saturday, March 28

2009 Summer Arts Camps

We realize it's still a little early yet, but... April will be here before you know it. And in early April, you'll be able to find our brochures with all our summer arts camp offerings for 2009. Creative Arts Camps focus on painting, music, dance, and theater, while our highly popular Club Pelican combines nature and the arts. Pick up your brochure at a library or look on-line at www.carlsbadca.gov/arts in early April. Camp Registration (for both the Cultural Arts Office and for Recreation) begins on April 15 for Carlsbad residents and on April 22 for non-residents.



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Community Arts Grants

2009 Awards Announced

Four guest artists, three community concerts, two festivals, and one spring musical – and that's just the results from one grant given to the Carlsbad High School Band Boosters for their Wind Symphony. Talk about making a little (money) go a long way! That's exactly what we try to do with our Community Arts Grants. Of course, we wish there was more money to go even further, but...

Designed to help strengthen local arts organizations and to provide cultural and artistic opportunities for Carlsbad citizens, the grants, which must be matched, are awarded to non-profit organizations, schools and school-related organizations for visual, media, literary, and performing arts projects taking place in Carlsbad. Arts organizations located elsewhere in San Diego County must have a Carlsbad non-profit organization or school as a partner to host the proposed activity. Awards for 2009, in which \$25,000 was disbursed, were recommended on November 24 by a distinguished peer review panel and then voted on and approved by the Carlsbad Arts Commission on December 4. Here's the line-up of the 2009 grantees:

Organizations / Artists Partnerships

Carlsbad-Oceanside Art League: \$800

Support for nine professional artist workshops in Carlsbad which are open to members and to the public.

Fern Street Circus: \$2400

Support for performances at the ArtSplash Festival in September 2009.

New Village Arts: \$5,500

Support for 2009 season with: five main stage productions, twelve Off Nights Series shows, one Shakespeare event, and numerous special events.

Patrons of the Arts Foundation/Carlsbad Community Theatre: \$6,300

Support for productions, showcases and workshops serving children ages 6 – 18.

Arts Education

Aviara Oaks Middle School: \$1,000

Support for beginning and intermediate orchestra students to be coached and mentored by professional guest artists.

Carlsbad High School Band Boosters: \$1,000

Support for four guest artists to serve as instrumental coaches.

Carlsbad High School Choral Boosters: \$500

Support for a guest choreographer to work with the show choirs, Sound Express and Encore.

Carlsbad High School Drama Club: \$700
Support for choreographer for annual musical production.

Carlsbad High School Orchestras: \$1,000

Support for both the Chamber and String Orchestra students to be coached and mentored by professional guest artists.

Carlsbad High School TV: \$500

Support for the production of the "We Must Remember" project and the companion curriculum.

Hope Elementary School: \$1,000

Support for specialized string instruction for the fifth graders, who will perform twice this school year.

Jefferson Elementary School: \$1,000

Support for the Jefferson Elementary String program, which will provide weekly violin classes for beginners and one for intermediate students.

La Costa Canyon High School Dance Program: \$700

Support for two twenty-hour workshops conducted by two artists-in-residence.

Montessori Arts and Sciences: \$700

Support for an artist-led mosaic mural project.

Pacific Rim Elementary School: \$700

Support for six in-school ballet participation assemblies.

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(Left) Carlsbad Community Theatre and (right) New Village Arts – both recipients of Community Arts Grants for 2009.

We Mean Business

It's been almost a year now since the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts (CFA) began its new Business Level Membership campaign and with ten members already signed up, we'd say it's a great success. Of course, we'd always like more, but for a relatively new program, we're off to a very good start.

At the \$100 Business Level, members receive:

- A plaque of appreciation that can be displayed in their place of business
- Their business name printed in the *Arts News* at least once a year
- Their business name listed on the Friends of the Arts website, with a link
- An invitation to a special reception

Most importantly, the donation will help the Friends of the Arts, a 501-c-3 non-profit organization, continue to support the City of Carlsbad's Cultural Arts Office and its many culturally enriching and community-oriented programs.

CFA is best known for its support of the City's TGIF Jazz in the Parks concerts. But CFA also supports the award-winning Three-Part-Art education programs for third- and fourth-graders, the Cannon Art Gallery preview receptions, and hands-on family art-making programs like Family Open Studios and Art at Jazz – and much more.

Carlsbad is a great place to live, work and play and a Business Level membership is a great way to become a leader in supporting the visual and performing arts in North County. Interested? Call (760) 434-2903 and leave your contact information. Linda Joyce, our Membership chair, will get back to you quickly.

And THANKS to the current Business Level members for their commitment and support:

Gemological Institute of America
Gems of La Costa
Jeff Kassebaum Photography
Law Offices of Martin A. Benowitz
Matt Hensley's Flying Elephant Pub and Grill
Metamorphysis: A Home Decorating & Staging Service
Museum of Making Music
Toyota Carlsbad
Vermicoast
Westfield Plaza Camino Real

And check out the new, beautifully designed CFA website at

www.CarlsbadFriendsoftheArts.com

We know it's a long name, but it's WORTH the visit!!



From top left, clockwise: Linda Joyce, CFA Membership chair with Matt Hensley; CFA President Pam Friese with Museum of Making Music Executive Director Carolyn Grant; Jeff Kassebaum; Shelley Grossman of Vermicoast; Suzanne O'Brien of Metamorphysis; Linda Joyce with Gary Hill of Gemological Institute of America.



To Help Take the Chill Off...

Oceanside Museum of Art

*Quilt Visions 2008:
Contemporary Expressions
Through March 1*

Organized by Quilt San Diego, this exhibition was juried by a distinguished panel who selected 41 quilts from 586 entries. Of special note: twenty artists are appearing in this prestigious biennial exhibition for the first time.

*Lowbrow Art: Nine San Diego
Pop Surrealists
January 24 - May 24*

With origins in pop culture, comics and hot rod street culture, Lowbrow Art reaches beyond the conventional art world to include a visual feast of pop surrealism created by local greats such as Mary Fleener, Scott Saw, Tim McCormick, Scrojo, Jason Sherry, Charles Glaubitz, Ron Wharton, Pamela Jaeger and Jen Trute. Guest curated by Jerry Waddle and Michael C. Gross.

Oceanside Museum of Art
704 Pier Way, Oceanside
721-2787 or oma-online.org

New Village Arts

Bulrushes
February 7 - March 1

Written by Eisa Davis, this poetic, evocative play was a finalist for the 2007 Pulitzer Prize for Drama. Here at NVA it is directed by Kristianne Kurner. Set at the dawn of the Civil Rights movement in the isolated town of Boonville in the Redwood country north of San Francisco, a young African-American woman voyages toward self-discovery with the help of a stranger from Alabama.

New Village Arts Theatre
2787 B State Street, Carlsbad
433-3245 or newvillagearts.org

Civic Youth Orchestra Winter Concert

Saturday, January 24 • 1:30pm

Five ensembles of talented young musicians will play orchestral favorites.

Carlsbad Cultural Arts Center
3557 Monroe St, Carlsbad
\$5 at the door.
Info at 728-1977 or www.sandiegocyo.org

Moonlight at Avo Theatre

Pump Boys & Dinettes
January 29 - February 22

Pump Boys and Dinettes introduces us to four filling station guys who sell high octane on Highway 57 in Grand Old Opry country. They join the "Dinettes," the table-waiting Cupp sisters at the Double Cupp Diner, for an evening of singing and dancing that celebrates the joys of small-town life.

Moon over Buffalo
March 5 - 22

Ken Ludwig's uproarious *Moon over Buffalo* follows in the same madcap comedy tradition of *Lend Me a Tenor*. The play centers on married, professional actors George and Charlotte Hay, who are struggling to maintain a stage career in the 1950's. When they receive word that they might just have one last shot at stardom, everything that could go wrong does go wrong, resulting in non-stop hilarity.

Moonlight Productions
Avo Playhouse, 303 Main Street, Vista
Directions available at
www.moonlightstage.com
Tickets and details at VISTIX:
(760) 724-2110 or www.vistixonline.com

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Oceanside Museum of Art: Quilt Visions 2008



Cecilia String Quartet

La Jolla Music Society

Cecilia String Quartet
Saturday, February 7, 2009 • 8pm

One of Canada's most exciting emerging ensembles, the Cecilia Quartet are recent winners of the Osaka International Chamber Music Competition.

Carlsbad City Library's
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium
1775 Dove Lane in southern Carlsbad
Tickets: \$30 for adults; \$5 for children
(858) 459-3728 or www.ljms.org

Orange County Museum of Art

2008 California Biennial
Through March 15

The 2008 California Biennial continues the Orange County Museum of Art's four-decade long history of presenting new developments in contemporary art. This year's biennial is guest-curated by Lauri Firstenberg, founder and director/curator of LAXART in Los Angeles and includes works by more than 50 artists. We haven't seen this year's exhibition yet, but in past years, this show has been one of the most energetic and engaging in the whole region. It's definitely worth the drive (which isn't really that far anyway)!

Orange County Museum of Art
850 San Clemente Drive, Newport Beach
(949) 759-1122 or info@ocma.net

Carlsbad Playreaders

Play readings directed by award-winning directors and featuring a stellar cast. Play readings made possible by the Carlsbad Library and Art Foundation's Robert H. Gartner Cultural Endowment Fund.

Beau Jest
Monday, February 23 • 7:30pm

By James Sherman, this is a hilarious romantic comedy.

The Beauty Queen of Leenane
Monday, March 9 • 7:30pm

This Tony Award-winning drama by Martin Donagh takes place in Ireland.

Carlsbad City Library's
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium
1775 Dove Lane in southern Carlsbad
Donations of \$5 general/\$1 students accepted at the door. For more information, visit www.carlsbadplayreaders.org



Vista Art Foundation

Art Classes for Children and Adults
Various times

Start the new year off by exploring your creative side! Classes are offered on Saturday mornings and after school – in a variety of media for a variety of ages.

For more information, visit www.vistaart-foundation.org or call instructor Karen Brake at 815-3804.

Cinema Society of Carlsbad

Beyond Silence
Saturday, March 7 • 2pm
"Cinema Chat" begins at 1:30pm

This powerful Academy Award-nominated film portrays a young woman's battle for independence and her deaf parents' struggle to understand her gift for music. In German with English subtitles. (1999, Not Rated, 101 minutes)

Carlsbad City Library's
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium
1775 Dove Lane in southern Carlsbad
602-2026, free admission.

All area codes are 760 unless otherwise noted.

Beyond Silence





Cultural Arts Office
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Carlsbad, CA 92008
(760) 434-2920

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Carlsbad Arts Commission

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Heath Fox, Chair
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Barbara Iserloth
Alan Lechusza
Cindi Millsap
Sibylla Voll

Useful Information

The Cultural Arts Office and the Sculpture Garden are located at 2955 Elmwood, just a few steps north of the Cole Library.

Mailing address: 1200 Carlsbad Village Drive, Carlsbad, CA 92008
Phone: (760) 434-2920
Office hours: Monday-Friday 9am–5pm

The William D. Cannon Art Gallery and the Schulman Auditorium are located in the Carlsbad City Library complex at 1775 Dove Lane, Carlsbad, CA 92011

Gallery hours:
Tuesday–Saturday 11am–5pm
Sunday 1pm–5pm
Phone: (760) 602-2021

For up-to-date information about Arts Office programs, call the Arts Info Line: (760) 434-2904 or check us out on the City's website: www.carlsbadca.gov/arts

Get Involved

"Envision Carlsbad" is your opportunity to help define the future of your community. Envision Carlsbad asks the Carlsbad community to help identify and define what our vision of the future might be... What's important to us today? In the future? What challenges do we face and what opportunities exist to help protect and enhance Carlsbad's quality of life for the next 20-plus years? Get involved. Share your vision of Carlsbad's future by:

Participating in a citywide survey
(look for the survey in your mailbox in mid-February),

Attending one of four community workshops:

Northeast Quadrant • March 23

Carlsbad Safety Center
(time to be announced)

Southwest Quadrant • April 15

Aviara Oaks Elementary School
(time to be announced)

Northwest Quadrant • April 16

(time and place to be announced)

Southeast Quadrant

(date/time/place to be announced)

For more information visit:
www.envisioncarlsbad.org



Ruby, who turned 3 in December, certainly plans to attend the Envision Carlsbad workshops. She's very interested in the issue of parks and playgrounds...